

**From:** [Williamson, Ann](#)  
**To:** [Voytilla, Marykay](#); [Talley, Dana](#); [Fleming, Sheila](#)  
**Cc:** [Mills, Joann](#); [Filippini, Mark](#); [Maxwell, Grady](#); [Hendrickson, Andrew](#); [Allamano, Jonell](#)  
**Subject:** RE: Responding to a Comment About Carpet Adhesive  
**Date:** Monday, August 04, 2014 9:42:12 AM

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Thanks Mary Kay. I believe these employees have found flexi-cubes on the 11<sup>th</sup> floor to use following our move off the 9<sup>th</sup> floor.

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**From:** Voytilla, Marykay  
**Sent:** Monday, August 04, 2014 9:19 AM  
**To:** Talley, Dana; Fleming, Sheila; Williamson, Ann  
**Cc:** Mills, Joann; Filippini, Mark; Maxwell, Grady; Hendrickson, Andrew; Allamano, Jonell  
**Subject:** Responding to a Comment About Carpet Adhesive

Dana, Sheila and Ann,

Joann Mills responded to Dana Talley on July 22 regarding the message below and a suggestion from an OEA employee that some staff remain on floor 14 after your move. However, I remained concerned about the comment highlighted below noting that "[REDACTED] thinks they changed a glue after they did 20" and I asked Andy to look into this further. Please see the string of e-mails below the dotted between Andy and contractors from GSA and Washington Holdings. Andy has confirmed that no such carpet glue change occurred. In addition, a copy of the Material Safety Data Sheet for the carpet adhesive being used is attached FYI. Please share this with your staff as you think appropriate. I'm sorry we didn't get this to you earlier, but it took a while to run through the confirmation chain. Just wanted to make sure that we closed the loop on this as I know indoor air quality is a concern for some of your staff. Thanks.

*Mary Kay Voytilla*  
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**From:** Talley, Dana  
**Sent:** Friday, July 18, 2014 6:17 AM  
**To:** Voytilla, Marykay; Mills, Joann  
**Cc:** Fleming, Sheila; [REDACTED]; Williamson, Ann  
**Subject:** FW: Stay on 9?

What do you think? Is this a possibility?

Thanks!

*Sincerely,*  
*Dana Talley*  
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**From:** [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Thursday, July 17, 2014 3:32 PM  
**To:** Fleming, Sheila  
**Cc:** Fuentes, Rene; Talley, Dana  
**Subject:** Stay on 9?

Hi Sheila –

I was looking at the move schedule

(<http://r10napps3.r10.epa.gov:9876/r10/infopage/infopage.nsf/840B2E49DBA31BCD882577EB0068E2B2/26461E705CAD3BF888257C1C0063540B?OpenDocument>) and, if I read it right, it doesn't look like anyone will be moving to 9 until August 21, and then only 12 people from OCE. I don't know if that means they'll be doing some sort of work on the floor in the interim or if it's just how the move schedules are working out, but it's possible they won't want to let us stay here by ourselves for a few weeks (just think of all the work we might get done...). Two other smallish groups will eventually be moving here, but not until January, so if it is OK for us to stay here and if OCE isn't claiming our specific cubes, it might even be possible for us to stay in our current cubes until the air on 14 settles down.

██████████ and ██████████ are sensitive to the new floors, and we've lined up space on 11, but it would be a lot easier all around if we could stay on 9, even if it meant moving to another cube here on 9. If you could help Sheila look into whether that's possible, we'd really appreciate it. We understand that we'd have to stay away the days of the move, and quite possibly the days of the OCE move (Aug 21-25).

I stopped by both 20 and 17 (a bit more recently completed), and the air on 17 didn't seem all that bad – not nearly as bad as 20. ██████████ thinks they changed a glue after they did 20. If so, it may not take all that long for the air to settle down enough for us to move to 14.

Thanks!

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**From:** Hendrickson, Andrew  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 30, 2014 4:50 PM  
**To:** Voytilla, Marykay; Allamano, Jonell  
**Cc:** Mills, Joann; Berlow, Cathy; Rebecca Aarons-Sydnor  
**Subject:** FW: Verification of Carpet Adhesive Used (L17 vs L20)

Hi Mary Kay,

Marc confirmed with the carpet installer that no changes were made with what carpet adhesive was used on L17 verse L20. See email string below.

Please let me know if you need anything else.

Thanks,  
Andy Hendrickson

**From:** Marc Bloom (<mailto:mbloom@bloomprojects.com>)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 23, 2014 5:34 PM  
**To:** Darren Daniels ([darren.daniels@jacobs.com](mailto:darren.daniels@jacobs.com))  
**Cc:** William Senn - 10SPS ([william.senn@gsa.gov](mailto:william.senn@gsa.gov)) ([william.senn@gsa.gov](mailto:william.senn@gsa.gov)); Hendrickson, Andrew  
**Subject:** FW: Verification of Carpet Adhesive Used (L17 vs L20)

Darren,  
Please see below for confirmation that no changes have been made.

Thanks,  
Marc

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**From:** Matt Nugent (<mailto:Matt.Nugent@sellen.com>)  
**Sent:** Wednesday, July 23, 2014 12:29 PM

**To:** Marc Bloom; Dana Applegate  
**Cc:** Garrett Condel  
**Subject:** RE: Verification of Carpet Adhesive Used (L17 vs L20)

Marc,

I confirmed with the carpet installer Foreman that no changes have been made from the approved Milliken product.

Thanks.

**From:** Marc Bloom [<mailto:mbloom@bloomprojects.com>]  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 22, 2014 3:02 PM  
**To:** Matt Nugent; Dana Applegate  
**Cc:** Garrett Condel  
**Subject:** FW: Verification of Carpet Adhesive Used (L17 vs L20)

Guys,  
Please see below and provide confirmation.

Thanks,  
Marc

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**From:** Daniels, Darren [<mailto:Darren.Daniels@jacobs.com>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 21, 2014 1:50 PM  
**To:** Marc Bloom  
**Cc:** Andrew Hendrickson; [william.senn@gsa.gov](mailto:william.senn@gsa.gov)  
**Subject:** FW: Verification of Carpet Adhesive Used (L17 vs L20)

Marc,

Please see the email below. Please confirm that no changes to the adhesive were made to L17 and L20.

Darren

**From:** Hendrickson, Andrew [<mailto:Hendrickson.Andrew@epa.gov>]  
**Sent:** Monday, July 21, 2014 11:03 AM  
**To:** Daniels, Darren  
**Cc:** Rebecca Aarons-Sydnor; Berlow, Cathy; Voytilla, Marykay; Allamano, Jonell; Mills, Joann  
**Subject:** Verification of Carpet Adhesive Used (L17 vs L20)

Hi Darren,

Could you please confirm with Sellen Construction and their carpet sub that no changes were made with the carpet adhesive approved and used for floors L17 and L20? My belief is this is not an issue but I need to verify this so that I can put an employee concern to rest.

Much appreciated.

Andy Hendrickson

Spec Section	Description	Item(s) to Review	LEED Credit(s)	Responsible Party	Submittal Number	/	Date Submitted	Date Returned	Comments
096813	Tile Carpeting	MSDS highlighting VOC content of carpet installation adhesive (20 g/L SFO)	EQc4.1	Sellen	036-096813-001		9/6/13	9/12/13	Milliken – Modular Carpet Adhesive

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